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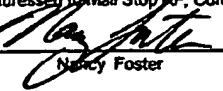
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Tsutomu ARAKAWA et al.

) Group Art Unit: 1642

Application No.: 09/994,068

) Examiner: Laura B. GODDARD

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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

Applicants now reply to the Final Office Action mailed April 19, 2006 ("Action").

The period for response has been extended to August 19, 2006 (Saturday), by the

Petition for One Month Extension of Time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith.

Applicants request reconsideration and withdrawal of all outstanding rejections.

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